

HEADQUARTERS THIRTY-SEVENTH INFANTRY DIVISION

OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

25 November 1945

My dear General:

It is with great regret that I must take my leave of you with a note of farewell. I should so much have preferred visiting with you once more before returning to the United States, but circumstances have made that impossible.

In leaving the Philippines I want you to know how very much I have valued my acquaintance with you. I am looking forward to our next meeting, either at my home in Columbus, Ohio or in the Philippines, should I have an opportunity again to visit here.

To my farewell I add my warm good wishes for your continued health and prosperity, and for your success in your many good works in behalf of your people. With kindest personal regards, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

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